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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

Mr. W. H. MAW, PRESIDENT, in the Chair.

The Report of the Auditors of the Treasurer's accounts for the year 1905 was read ; see p. 154.

The Address was delivered by the President, after which the Gold Medal was handed to His Excellency the American Ambassador for transmission to Professor W. W. Campbell, to whom the Medal had been awarded for his spectroscopic researches, which have greatly increased our knowledge of Stellar Motions (see pp. 245 to 261).

The Annual Report of the Council was partly read ; see pp. 151 to 244.

The President having appointed the Scrutineers, the Society proceeded to the ballot for Officers and Council for the ensuing year. The names of those elected are given on p. 261.

The thanks of the Meeting were given to the retiring Officers, and also to the Auditors of the Treasurer's Accounts and to the Scrutineers of the ballot.

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Robert Courtenay, B.A. (T.C.D.), 34 Wilmount Street,
Woolwich ;
Lieut. Chetwode G. G. Crawley, R.M. Artillery, B.A.
(T.C.D.), H.M.S. "Vernon," Portsmouth ; and
John Milne Gardiner Shaw, M.Inst. Naval Architects,
F.R.Met.Soc., c/o John Swire & Sons, 8 Billiter
Square, E.C.,

were balloted for and duly elected Fellows of the Society.

The following Candidates were proposed for election as
Fellows of the Society, the names of the proposers from personal
knowledge being appended :—

Rev. Walter Briscoe, Wesleyan Minister, Hillam Royd,
Abbey Park Road, Grimsby (proposed by R. Wilding) ;
Arthur Stanley Eddington, B.A., Trinity College, Cambridge
(proposed by E. T. Whittaker) ; and
Dr. Edalgi Manekji Modi, F.C.S., F.Z.S., F.R.M.S., &c.,
Manufacturing and Consulting Chemist, Sleater Road,
Bombay, India (proposed by J. D. Bharda).